IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Atty. Docket

TIMOTHY J. MOULSLEY

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Examiner:

Title: CODING DEVICE AND COMMUNICATION SYSTEM USING THE SAME

Honorable Commissioner for Patents Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows: